

CHRONICLES

2025



J A N U A R Y - E D I T I O N



**TARANG
KHURANA**
National Chairman
Young Indians



**ARUN
RATHOD**
National Vice Chairman
Young Indians

Dear Yi Family,

Another exciting and incredible year beckons as we step into 2025. The last year has given us much in terms of growth, in terms of collaboration and in terms of reach. We set out to build Bharat and in 2025 are now poised to take it a step further as we contribute to a **Bharat Rising**.

As Young Indians becomes an organisation of significance, it is essential that we tap into the diverse tapestry of Yi while at the same time echoing the same voice, same vision and same theme. Bharat Rising beyond just a theme, is an ideal that should guide every activity that we undertake over the course of the year. Bharat Rising is the cornerstone around which we plan every project we deliver, every initiative we lead and every stakeholder we impact.

Let 2025 be the year where we push the boundaries in terms of numbers we reach, while at the same time bring together stories that have made a difference. An organisation that strives for excellence, can only become significant when we collaborate. Let's make a wholehearted effort this year to share best practices, leverage cross chapter strengths, support our peers so together we all rise as one. As we continue to expand our footprint, its imperative that we deepen our engagement to the last mile. Yi grooms leaders and we are sure the coming year will bring forth leaders from every corner, every city of Yi.

Lastly, lets resolve that in every role we contribute in, we do so with earnestness, we do so selflessly, and we do so with the strongest belief in service above self. In this endeavor we count on the army of Young Indians to drive and be the change.

So, tell us, or rather show us, what does your Bharat Rising look like?

Here's wishing a happy and healthy new year to you and your loved ones

Best wishes

TAKE PRIDE AMPLIFIED 2024



21st YOUNG INDIANS NATIONAL SUMMIT

20-21 DECEMBER 2024 | KOLKATA

1000+ Attendees

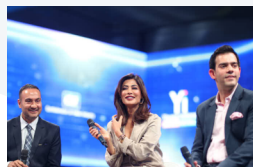
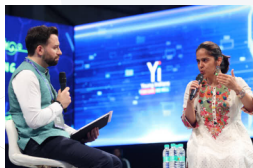
The 21st Yi National Summit – Take Pride 2024 was a powerful convergence of visionaries, industry icons, and young changemakers. Over 1000 Yi members engaged in 14 sessions, 5 masterclasses, and 25+ Young Innovators' showcases.

SPEAKERS INCLUDED

- Shri Prahlad Joshi, Honourable Minister, GoI
- Shri Rammohan Naidu Kinjarapu, Honourable Minister, GoI
- Saina Nehwal, Indian Badminton Star
- Sourav Ganguly, Former BCCI President
- Mahamandaleshwar Swami Avdheshanand Giri Ji Maharaj
- 29 thought leaders from across industries

KEY MOMENTS

- Deep-dive discussions on youth leadership, innovation, and nation-building
- A grand Yi Annual Day celebration concluded the summit



Yi LEADERSHIP ACADEMY 2025

CHAPTER EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

9-11 JANUARY 2025 | VIRTUAL CONFLUENCE



1800+ Attendees

Yi organized a 3-day Leadership Academy for Chapter Executive Committee Members, focusing on leadership development, strategic insights, and best practices across various verticals. With a vision to nurture the next generation of chapter leaders, the academy provided a structured platform for learning and collaboration.

ESTEEMED SPEAKERS & LEADERS

- **Mr. Tarang Khurana**, National Chair, Young Indians
- **Mr. Arun Rathod**, National Vice Chair, Young Indians
- **Ms. Kavita Kohli**, National Head, Young Indians
- **Mr. Piyush Garg**, Chair, Yi Leadership Academy
- **Mr. Vishal Mehta**, Co-Chair, Yi Leadership Academy
- **Yi Vertical Chair & Co-Chairs for 2025**

IMPACT & REACH

- **1,800+ Executive Members** attended across **3 days**
- Best practices and insights shared for chapter leadership
- Discussions on **National Work Plans & Strategic Direction**



CATCH THE SESSION HIGHLIGHTS



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YI ROAD SAFETY WEEK NATIONWIDE 2025

2 3 - 2 9 J A N U A R Y

A NATIONWIDE CELEBRATION OF AWARENESS AND ACTION

Across India, Yi Road Safety Week was marked with energy, commitment, and community participation, reflecting a shared goal—making our roads safer for everyone. This nationwide movement brought together individuals, organizations, and government bodies, amplifying the message of road safety across regions.

KEY INITIATIVES

- **Chota Cop:** Teaching road safety to children, shaping responsible future citizens
- **Farishtey Awareness & First Responder Training:** Preparing individuals to respond effectively during emergencies
- **Collaborations with District Police:** Strengthening road safety efforts through strategic partnerships

IMPACT ACROSS THE NATION

- **350+** activities conducted in January
- **Assam Government** officially integrated the **Yi Chota Cop** project into the school curriculum
- **Yi's presence** at the **26th January Parade**, showcasing road safety as a national priority

Yi Farishtey Accident First Responder Certified Training Program:

A key highlight was the success of the Farishtey Accident First Responder Certified Training Program X EMRI,

- **13 Yi Chapters** hosting dedicated training sessions
- **2,850+** individuals certified as first responders, ready to assist in road emergencies



REGION-WISE HIGHLIGHTS

WESTERN
REGION

63+

Impactful activities

EASTERN
REGION

72+

Awareness programs

NORTHERN
REGION

55+

Initiatives reaching
diverse
communities

NORTH EAST
REGION

OVER 4 Lac

Individuals engaged
in road safety
campaigns

SOUTHERN
REGION TAMIL
NADU

65+

Events promoting
traffic discipline

TELANGANA,
KARNATAKA,
KERALA,
ANDHRA

115+

Activities fostering
safe driving habits

From bustling cities to quiet towns, road safety became a collective mission, uniting people across the country.

EXCLUSIVE Yi SESSION 2025



UTKARSH ODISHA & VIKSIT BHARAT

27 JANUARY 2025

Yi Bhubaneswar organized an exclusive session with the **Honorable Governor of Odisha, Shri Dr. Hari Babu Kambhampati**, discussing **Odisha's role in driving India's growth towards Vision 2047**. The discussion focused on the **state's strategic potential** in innovation, rural development, and youth empowerment.



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- **Mr. Tarang Khurana**, National Chairman, Young Indians
- **Mr. Arun Rathod**, National Vice Chair, Young Indians
- **Mr. Aayush Jasoria**, Chair, Yi Bhubaneswar
- **Ms. Kavita Kohli**, National Head, Young Indians

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- **Youth leadership's role in economic growth**
- **Innovation & entrepreneurship for sustainable development**
- **Yi's YUVA vertical impact** – equipping students with skills for the future



BHARAT
RISING

STORIES OF IMPACT

Yi
BENGALURU

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HYDERABAD

Yi
RAIPUR

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INCLUSIVITY WITH
BRAILLE - ENABLED
CONSTITUTION



“When knowledge becomes accessible, true freedom begins.”

Bengaluru has turned this belief into reality by unveiling the Braille-enabled Indian Constitution, marking a historic stride toward a more inclusive India.

WHAT

The initiative introduces India's foundational legal document in Braille, empowering the visually impaired to access, read, and understand the very framework that defines their rights and responsibilities as citizens.

HOW

This transformative project is the result of a collaborative effort between CII Young Indians (Yi) Bengaluru and Sankara Eye Hospital, Bengaluru. It was officially launched by Shri Thawar Chand Gehlot, Governor of Karnataka, underscoring strong institutional support.



IMPACT

For millions of visually impaired individuals, this is more than just a book—it's a gateway to:

- ✔ Independence in learning about their constitutional rights
- ✔ Active civic participation rooted in awareness
- ✔ Empowerment through knowledge, fostering equal opportunities

PEOPLE

The success of this initiative reflects the power of collaboration—between visionary youth leaders at Yi, healthcare champions at Sankara Eye Hospital, and government leadership, all united by a common goal: inclusive growth.

Inclusivity is not a privilege - it's a right.

Bengaluru's bold step a call to action for every community to ensure that knowledge knows no barriers, and every voice has the power to rise.

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**ABILITY BEYOND DISABILITY:
CELEBRATING INCLUSION
THROUGH SPORTS**



“True ability shines through determination, joy, and the power of community.”

Yi Hyderabad, in collaboration with NIEPID, organized an extraordinary Sports Day that celebrated inclusion, resilience, and the unique spirit of every child.

WHAT

Over 1,400 specially-abled children from 20+ schools participated in a vibrant Sports Day. Activities included:

- 🌟 **100m sprints**
- 🌟 **Musical chairs**
- 🌟 **Tug-of-war** and other engaging games, designed to highlight the strengths and talents of each child.

HOW

The event was organized by Yi Hyderabad and NIEPID, bringing together students from urban and rural areas. Parents, volunteers, and educators joined in to create an environment filled with support, encouragement, and celebration.

IMPACT

The sports day created a space where

- 🌟 Children displayed their confidence and abilities
- 🌟 Friendships blossomed, crossing barriers of background and ability
- 🌟 Every child felt valued, cherished, and proud of their achievements

With medals, certificates, and thoughtful treats, the event reinforced that every child's effort matters.

PEOPLE

This impactful day was made possible through the collaboration of Yi Hyderabad, NIEPID, passionate volunteers, dedicated teachers, and supportive parents who contributed to its success.



“When knowledge becomes accessible, true freedom begins.”

This event reflected the true spirit of community, where every smile, every cheer, and every moment made a lasting impact

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RAIPUR TAKES THE LEAD WITH ROAD SAFETY AWARENESS CAR RALLY



“Safety on the road is a choice we make every day”

On 26th January, Raipur came alive with a powerful message as a Road Safety Awareness Car Rally rolled out to promote safe driving practices and raise awareness about road safety.

WHAT

The rally featured an impressive lineup of 35 - 40 super sports cars and 30+ member-owned vehicles, with more than 40 Yi Raipur members participating actively. The event showcased the energy and commitment of the community towards safer roads.

HOW

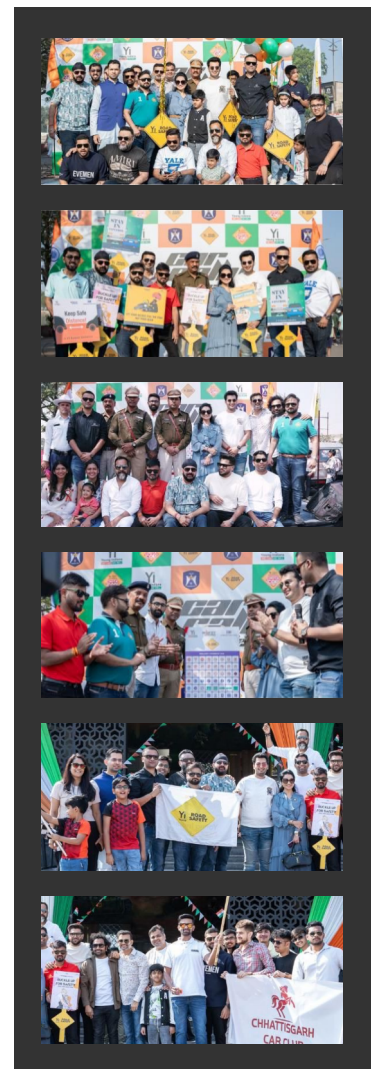
The event was honored by the presence of key dignitaries from the Traffic Police Department, including DSP and ASP officers, along with Yi National Chair Tarang Khurana and National Chair for Road Safety Namrata Bhatt. Their insights emphasized the urgent need for road safety education and responsible driving.

IMPACT

A major announcement from Union Minister Nitin Gadkari introduced roadside assistance benefits for accident victims, marking a significant advancement in road safety measures. The launch of new road safety signboards, which will be installed in Thair schools, aims to educate young students on traffic rules and safe road behavior from an early age. The rally inspired a stronger sense of responsibility among participants and the wider community, driving home the importance of road safety in everyday life.

PEOPLE

This impactful event was made possible through the joint efforts of Yi Raipur, the Traffic Police Department, and national leaders, with enthusiastic participation from Yi members and local citizens.



“Every journey begins with a choice - choose safety, choose responsibility.”

The rally left a lasting impact, reinforcing the idea that safer roads are built through awareness, action, and community involvement

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES CALENDAR



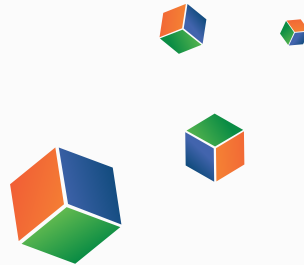
BHARAT ENTREPRENEURSHIP WEEK

02-08 MAR 2025



Yi REGIONAL COUNCIL MEET (RCM)

22-23 MAR 2025



BHARAT IS RISING

And we are the force behind it. Through action, innovation, and leadership, we shape the future. The time is now—let's build, lead, and rise together.

